

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: R.I. Chu
KOJI TAKEKOSHI ET AL.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 2624
Application No.: 10/714,654	)	
	:	Conf. No.: 2523
Filed: November 18, 2003	)	
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For: MEDICAL IMAGE HANDLING	)	
SYSTEM AND METHOD	:	October 9, 2007

**Mail Stop: Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action of June 13, 2006, to October 13, 2007. A Deposit Account payment in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the extension fee is submitted herewith.

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 7.